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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/22/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 05/22/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/16/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/04/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/22/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/22/2006
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of **\$3560** as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$3690 for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ **3560**
 - **\$3200** for **64** total claims over 20.
 - **\$360** for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

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